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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 03063.0398-01

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Hao A. CHEN et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1774  
Application No.: 09/930,705 ) Examiner: Dixon, Merrick L.  
Filed: June 29, 2001 )  
For: SURFACE COVERINGS ) Confirmation No.: 3770  
CONTAINING ALUMINUM OXIDE )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a three month extension of time to file a reply to the Office  
Action of May 19, 2006. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached  
reply and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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